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JAMES STOKES FOUND GUILTY

Convicted of Murder of His Sister-in-Law, Mrs. Sarah Stokes

James R. Stokes was found guilty last Saturday afternoon of the murder of Sarah Stokes, his sister-in-law, and still has hanging over him the charge of having murdered his brother, Robert Stokes, at the same time and place.

Robert Stokes and his wife, Sarah Stokes were found dead early on the morning of March 23, 1903, at their home four or five miles from Boonville, in this county. Both had been shot thru the face and head with a shot gun which was loaded with buck shot. It was James R. Stokes, whose home was near by, who made the horrifying discovery and gave notice to the neighbors. At the inquest facts were brot out which excited suspicion that James R. Stokes was the murderer and he was arrested. He was tried in June, the jury failing to agree.

The second trial began Wednesday of last week and ended Saturday with a verdict of guilty as charged, with punishment fixed at imprisonment for life. The evidence brot out at the trial was practically the same as that at the former trial. It was wholly circumstantial. The defendant himself testified that he got up early on the morning of March 23d, started the fire in his home and then went out to a pile of pickets between his own and his brother's house to get three pickets to stop a hole in the fence. While there he heard a scream at his brother's house, followed immediately by the report of a gun and that by a second report.

He ran to the house and entering by the back way found his brother lying dead in the doorway of the kitchen with a shot gun lying beside his feet. Entering the house, he saw Mrs. Sarah Stokes on the bed dead with her feet hanging out toward the floor. He went home, told his wife, ate his breakfast and then proceeded to notify the neighbors and have the coroner summoned. He stated that the shot gun found beside the dead man was his, and that his brother had borrowed it the evening before to shoot something that was bothering his chickens. He and his brother had had trouble and quarrels in the past, and at least on one occasion had fought.

The prosecution put on a number of witnesses to try to forge a complete chain of circumstances against the defendant. It was proved that James Stokes remarked on the morning of the tragedy that it looked bad for him as that was his gun. Before he was arrested he told one witness that he supposed he was under arrest.

The most damaging evidence used against the defendant was the mute testimony of five marks on the right foot of Sarah Stokes which appeared to have been made by the tacks or nails in a hob nailed shoe. It was the theory of the prosecution that James Stokes was hidden in the woodshed adjoining the kitchen and when his brother, Robert, started to come out shot him and then rushed into the bedroom to kill Sarah Stokes in order to destroy all evidence of his crime. There a struggle ensued. The evidence was that there were bruises on the body and limbs of Sarah Stokes, and one of the bed pillows was lying over in the corner of the room on the floor. The shoes worn by defendant that morning were hobnailed shoes, and when fitted to the marks on Sarah Stokes' foot, the projecting nails compared with the marks, as tho in the struggle the wearer had stepped upon the woman's bare foot. It was proved that Robert Stokes wore smooth soled light shoes that morning. There was found in a closet at Robert Stokes' house several weeks afterwards a pair of hobnailed shoes but there was no evidence that they had been recently worn.

The prosecution was conducted by District Attorney Robert Duncan and Attorney J. C. Ruddock, while Attorney Jno. L. McNab handled the defense alone. On both sides the case was ably handled, both in the production of evidence and in the arguments.

The convicted man appeared for sentence Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Before sentence was pronounced District Attorney Duncan moved the court that the case against defendant for the murder of Robert Stokes be dismissed, and it was so ordered. James R. Stokes was then told to stand up and the court said: "Mr. Stokes, you were regularly charged by information filed in this court with the murder of Sarah Stokes on the 23d day of March, 1903. A jury was impanelled to try the case. You were ably defended and after hearing the evidence, the jury found you guilty of murder of the first degree and fixed your punishment at imprisonment for life. Have you any legal reason why sentence should not be pronounced against you?" The defendant answered with calm firmness, looking the court straight in the eye: "No *legal* reason, your honor, but I am innocent." The court then pronounced sentence of imprisonment in the state prison at San Quentin for the term of the prisoner's natural life.

THE BAILEY-BROWN CASE

Court Grants Nonsuit at Conclusion of Testimony For Plaintiff

The breach of promise of marriage suit of Miss Flora C. Baley against John L. Brown, came on for trial before a jury in the superior court here last Monday morning. Spectators, except members of the bar and representatives of the local press, were excluded from the court room on motion of defendant's attorneys. The plaintiff was the first witness. She testified with calmness and dignity that an engagement was entered into in 1899 by which they mutually agreed to marry each other, and that since that time the subject had often been talked over and the engagement confirmed. It was agreed and understood that the marriage should not take place until after the death of plaintiff's mother, who is still living.

Some letters and notes from defendant to plaintiff were introduced in evidence, but in none of them was the subject of marriage or an engagement referred to. Plaintiff's mother testified that defendant had asked her how she would like him for a son-in-law.

This closed the case for the plaintiff, whereupon defendant's attorneys moved for a nonsuit, and after hearing argument the court granted the motion, and so the case came to an abrupt end.

Grand Officers' Visit

Last Saturday evening Grand Master Orren S. Henderson, Grand Lecturer W. H. Edwards and Grand Orator E. H. Hart, of the Masonic order, visited Abell lodge, No. 146. A very profitable and pleasant evening was spent. After lodge work a banquet was spread to which all did justice. Addresses were made by Brothers Henderson, Edward and Hart.

Wash Bailey, the plasterer, has gone to the city to work at his trade.

SCHOOLMA'AM IS HELD UP

Pretty Miss Bonnie Gaine Held Up by a Bold Robber

Miss Bonnie Gaine, who teaches the Fountain school three miles out from Hopland, was held up last Thursday week by a bold tramp and robbed of her lunch and a gold watch chain.

The pretty little schoolma'am boards with friends in Hopland and goes out to school in the morning and returns in the afternoon. She rides a wheel about two miles, and leaving it in an old shed along the roadside, proceeds the rest of the distance, about a mile, on foot. Miss Gaine had noticed a tramp near the shed for several days. On Thursday she got off her wheel as usual at the shed and was suddenly confronted by a rusty looking fellow who demanded her valuables. He took her lunch and a gold watch chain and politely went on his way.

Upon returning to Hopland that afternoon, hungry and as foot sore as tho she had unloaded a cord of tanbark, the little schoolma'am told of her adventure. Several sleuth hounds, among them a Hopland deputy, are hunting for the robber. It has been reported that a rusty tramp has tried to sell a watch chain to different people in town, and it will not be long till the fellow is caught.

Thot Former Wife Dead.

A suit was filed in the Superior Court of this county on the 16th inst, by George Edgar Shinn of Potter Valley, against Sarah Elizabeth Wells, sometimes known as Sarah Elizabeth Shinn, the complaint setting forth the following circumstances. Plaintiff and defendant intermarried in San Francisco March 15th 1883 and lived and cohabited together up to July 1st 1902. Plaintiff had at the time of such marriage, a former wife living, who had never been divorced, but whom both plaintiff and defendant thot was dead. On July 1st 1902, plaintiff and defendant learned for the first time that said former wife of plaintiff was living. Plaintiff and defendant acted in good faith in marrying and living together. While so living together as husband and wife, defendant filed a homestead on a tract of land in Humboldt county for the mutual benefit of her selfand plaintiff. Plaintiff now prays the Court that his marriage to and with defendant be declared null and void, and that the homestead above mentioned be set aside and vacated, and the land described therein be adjudged and declared to be the sole property of plaintiff, subject to the life estate therein of the defendant, she to have the rents issues and profits during her natural life, and she also to have the furniture accumulated by the parties during her life, both land and furniture to revert to plaintiff at defendant's death.

Pemberton-Morse Wedding.

J. W. Pemberton and Miss Maude E. Morse were married in the First Christian Church at Santa Rosa last Sunday afternoon. Rev. Peter Colvin was the officiating Minister. Attorney and Mayor J. E. Pemberton of Ukiah, a brother of the groom, was present at the wedding. Both the young people are popular among their friends, and recieved many congratulations.

Weather conditions are reported favorable for saving the crops and for general farm work in all parts of the state. The hop crop of the state is now reported about an average and the quality good.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Many Short Items Concerning The Happenings of The Week.

Miss Carrie Ganter is home from a trip to Tahoe.

E. D. Rea was over from Boonville this week.

S. W. Coombs was over from Little River Monday.

Miss Cora Riffe was down from Upperlake Tuesday.

Miss Mary McCowen is spending a few months in the city.

Mrs. H. G. Batley, of Comptche, was at the Palace Monday.

Mrs. A. L. Brunner is spending a few weeks in San Francisco.

W. P. Fee and Jennet Fee, of Caspar, were in Ukiah Tuesday.

H. K. Taylor was over from the coast last Monday on business.

J. W. Rawles and W. T. Rock, of Boonville, were in town Tuesday.

J. J. Hyde and A. L. Frehe, of Willits, were in this city this week.

G. M. Miller was over from Boonville yesterday on a hurried business visit.

George Lambert was over from Boonville the latter part of last week.

Miss Genevieve Kelton was a passenger on the south bound train last Friday.

F. W. Reynolds and wife, of Point Arena, were guests at the Arlington Monday.

Postmaster Philo Handy is quite sick and has not been able to be around for a week.

Wm. Clark, of Jackson valley, has returned home from a sojourn at Burke's sanitarium.

Henry Buckman, the Hopland livery man, was at the county seat Saturday on business.

N. P. Howe and family were here Tuesday from Point Arena and were guests at the Arlington.

Misses Bertha and Flora Pitney and Miss Agnes Carson were in town Tuesday from Upperlake.

Miss Gussie Hargis was called to the city last week on account of her sister, Mrs. Ford's illness.

Joe Gaffney, one of Willits' prominent citizens, spent a few days at the county seat this week.

Mr. McMurry and daughters, Misses Adele and Ella, are home from a summer in Ross valley.

Miss Sara Hofman returned from the city last Friday where she has been spending the last two months.

Mrs. Lou Twist left for Oakland last week. She has been spending the summer with her sister, Miss Lena Brunner.

Charles Ellis and wife are here from San Francisco on a visit. They spent two weeks at Duncan's springs and had a pleasant time.

Dr. H. B. Copsey, of Eureka, has bot the Hoss place below Ukiah and will move his family down and make his home once more amongst us.

John Flanagan, of Mendocino, was in town Tuesday on his way to San Francisco to attend the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., as a delegate.

Mrs. Fred Perkins, who has been teaching at Keene district, passed thru town Tuesday en route to San Francisco where she will remain permanently.

Mrs. Amanda Poage, of this city, visited her son, Dr. C. A. Poage, in Hopland a few days ago and then started for Idaho for a good long visit with relatives.

At Holy Trinity church (Episcopal) the Venerable Archdeacon Parker, B. D., will officiate and preach in this church Sunday, Sept. 27th at 11 a. m.

Mrs. I. E. Cohn of Napa, is visiting the family of Dr. Case this week. Mrs. Cohn is a sister of Dr. Case.

Hon. Geo. Sturtevant, deputy Attorney General of the state, surprised old Ukiah friends last Monday by dropping in on them for a few days.

Rev. Jesse Wood, pastor of the M. E. church, south, at Potter Valley, was in Ukiah Monday and went on to San Francisco, returning Wednesday.

The Last Farewell.

Last Monday Mrs. James R. Stokes and her daughter, Mrs. Robert Page went to the county jail to say the last good bye to the husband and father James R. Stokes, the convicted murderer of his own brother and his wife's sister, in view of immediate departure for Canada where they will make there future home with Robert Page, who preceded them and has already purchased a home. The parting was pathetic, and for the first time since his arrest the convicted man exhibited violent emotion. The wife and daughter departed on the morning train Tuesday for Canada, and on the afternoon train of the same day James R. Stokes was taken by Deputy Tom Binckley to San Quentin, where he is to spend his remaining days as a felon.

The width of a continent will separate husband and wife, father and daughter, and the probabilities are that nevermore will they meet on earth. Truly "the way of the transgressor is hard," not only for the transgressor, but for the innocent ones connected with him by ties of family and kindred.

GEYSERVILLE WINS GAME

A Good Game of Ball—Ukiah Defeated, 4 to 2

Last Sunday a good natured crowd gathered at the local diamond to witness the ball game between Geyserville and the home team. Up to the seventh inning the game was a tie. Ukiah made a bobble and let two men in, making the score 4 to 2 and could never regain the lost ground. The battery was Sanford and Duff. This was the "Chief's" first appearance since July when he got an ankle broken. He pitched a good game, struck out sixteen men, fielded his position well and led in the batting—yet Ukiah lost.

Next Sunday a return game will be played with Geyserville for a purse of $100.

On Sunday the 4th of October, the third of a series between the Mendocino and Lake county Indians will be played for a purse of $182.

Sunday's score:

	ab	h	r	po	a	e	sb
Hughes, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
Sanford, p	4	2	1	1	3	0	1
Shire, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0	0
Chalfant, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	2	0
Van Vcast, 1b	4	1	0	5	1	1	1
Porterfield, cf	4	0	0	1	0	2	1
Duff, c	3	0	0	17	5	2	0
Saunders, 3b	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Briggs, ss	4	0	0	1	1	2	0

Death of J. H. Mohr

John Henry Mohr, the popular usher at the local state hospital, died last week after a short illness. He was born in San Francisco Nov. 18, 1874 and came to Ukiah about two years ago where he secured the position as usher at the hospital. He was a general favorite among the employes.

He was married to Mrs. Alhe Goforth July 16, 1902, and his death brings grief not only to a wife and child but also to a mother, sister and brother. The remains were taken to San Francisco last Saturday, funeral at Native Sons' hall, cremation at I. O. O. F. cemetery.

REDWOOD MEN REACHING OUT

To Form a Million Dollar Company to Handle Product

A company, incorporated for a million dollars and including among its members the heads of all the redwood lumber corporations in California, notably C. A. Hooper & Co., Pacific Lumber company, Union Lumber company, Hammond Lumber company and other big concerns, which have vast timber holdings in the northern timber belts, will be launched in a few days in San Francisco.

Its main purposes are to give greater impetus to the steadily increasing demand for California redwood in the East. One of the first moves to be made by the new company will be the erection of sawing and planing mills, sash and door factories and a manufactory of wooden water pipe and a big drying plant, a site for all of which has been secured near Antioch, adjoining the drying plant of the California Redwood Shingle combine. It is purposed to maintain a supply of between twenty and thirty million feet of redwood lumber for shipment to the Eastern markets.

Up to a few months ago the supply of California lumber had not passed beyond the local markets, the consumption in the state being almost equal to the supply of the mills. With the sudden demand for wood in the East the producers here recognized the necessity for an organization that would be able to properly foster this new trade and act as a distributor in foreign markets.

With these plans in view the larger members of the redwood association got together several weeks ago and have since been quietly conferring at their exchange at 6 California street. On Saturday the plans for the new company were fully arranged and the entire matter turned over to the association's lawyers, who are now drawing up the articles of incorporation. It has been estimated that nearly one million dollars will be necessary to start the new enterprise, and the greater part of this sum has already been subscribed. In the drying of its redwood lumber and planing it before shipment the dealers will save a large sum of money in freight charges.

The company practically is an adjunct of the redwood association. Its agencies for disbursing purposes will be established in all the principal cities of the East. Thru this medium the price of California redwood will be controlled by the association which aims to maintain a monopoly of the timber business in this state.—S. F. Call.

Pretty Home Wedding.

A very pretty home wedding took place last Tuesday the 22nd inst. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford, near Largo, when Miss Edna Grace Crawford, their adopted daughter, and Mr. James M. Hines of Indiana were joined in holy wedlock. The wedding ceremony was said at 12 30 p. m. and was followed by a splendid dinner to which full justice was done. W. O. Waggener of this city was the officiating minister. Only the family and relatives were present. The bride and groom took the afternoon train for San Francisco where they were joined by John and Mrs. Crawford Wednesday and all four started East. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford will make an extended visit in the eastern states, this being Mr. Crawford's first visit since he left his childhood home over fifty year ago. Mr. Hines is a railroad conductor in Indiana, and is a man of excellent character and reputation.

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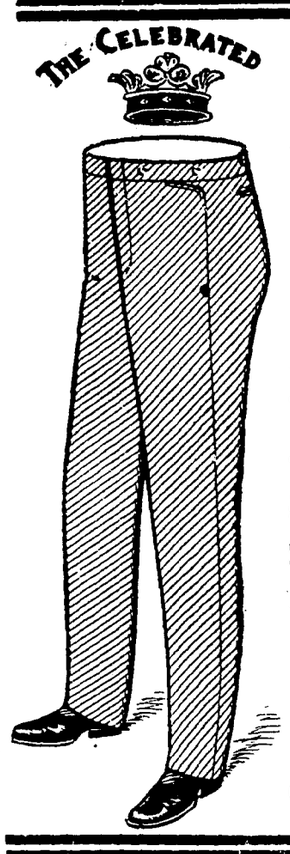

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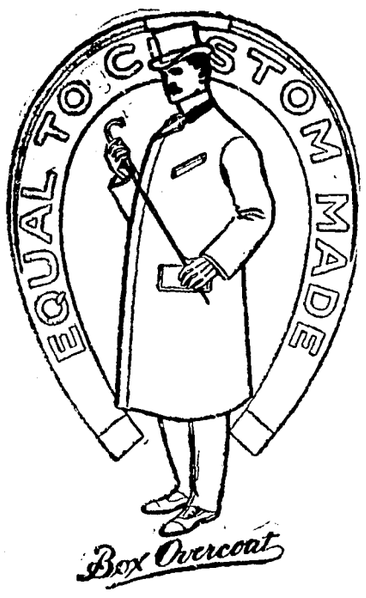

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MENDOCINO PICK-UPS.

From the Beacon.

Died, at Iversen, Friday, Sept. 11th, the nine-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Craig.

Miss Van Duzen, who has been making her sister, Mrs. Eugene Brown, an extended visit, departed Wednesday for Redlands on the Phoenix.

That lucky Italian spoken of in last week's Beacon, who was shot for a deer by his brother, is now out of danger and on a fair road to recovery.

Born at Woodland, Yolo county, Sept. 16th, to the wife of W. A. Robertson, a daughter. Mrs. Robertson was formerly Miss Olga Sjolund, whose parents live in Mendocino.

Lumber prices have declined lately presumably on account of the approach of the winter months. Railroad ties have dropped three cents in sympathy with the lumber.

The timber fires this fall have been of unusual severity. Eugene Brown lost over 3000 ties by fire out on the Little Lake road this week. Buildings and fences have been burned in a number of places. The smoke for sometime has been almost unbearable, but fog was heartily welcomed Thursday.

The Mendocino schools were closed this week on account of a supposed case of small pox, Mrs. Gonsalves, of Furytown, being the subject. The woman stoutly denies the claims of Dr. Burgess that it is small pox. She says the eruptions on her body are the result of eating too much dried or smoked salmon, and in working in the sun gathering huckleberries, the bad blood has come to the surface.

Two gentlemen from Dixon, this state, were here this week, negotiating for a dairy farm apiece. L. Mason, one of the gentlemen, is a butter maker of more than local reputation and would be a valuable addition to Mendocino's industries. There is some likelihood of their purchasing the George Daniels and Manuel Marshall Souza places at Pine Grove, three miles north of town.

Monday, Sept. 7th, at 1 o'clock p. m., Rev. Mr. Anderson, of Philo, pronounced the happy words which made Henry Derosier, of Albion, and Miss Annie E. Holmberg, of Philo, man and wife. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Holmberg, and was attended by many relatives of the contracting parties. Miss A. E. Holmberg, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid while Herbert H. Stout acted as groomsman. Soon after the interesting ceremony an elaborate spread was served.

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FROM FORT BRAGG.

From the Advocate.

In this city last Wednesday a son was born to the wife of C. D. Johnson.

Pat McComick killed a buck on the South Fork of Noyo last week that wieghed 140 pounds.

In San Francisco, September 8th, Jacob Jones of Greenwood, and Minnie G. Wells of Fort Bragg, were married.

Our old friends J. J. Carpenter has left Greenwood and taken up his residence in Sonoma country at Duncans Mills.

Mrs. Eugene Callnon, a former resident of Point Arena, died last Wednesday at her home in San Francisco after a short illness.

Mrs Campbell returned last week from Sacramento where she attended the great Council of the Degree of Pocahontas as a delegate of the local lodge. She was honored by receiving the appointment as Great First Scout.

A fatal accident occurred in the Cleone woods last Wednesday, John Kunez, a young man over 18 years of age, meeting a shocking death, which must have been instantaneous. It appears he was brakeman on a couple cars going down an incline. He was alone at time, no one witnessing the accident. It is supposed in some manner he fell between the cars, his body being dragged about forty yards and fearfully mangled.

Considerable comment has been made recenty in regard to the flag not being raised on the town flag pole at the company's store last Fourth of July, and other legal holidays, and not being hoisted at half-mast when a union man or a member of his family dies.

As a matter of fact the city of Fort Bragg, to her everlasting shame can it be said, has no flag pole of her own. The one at the Union Lumber Company's store is on private ground, and of course it can not be expected that when any affair is going on under the auspices of the labor unions, that a corporation so hostile to unionism as the Union Lumber Company, would throw to the breeze old glory.

(Since the above was published in the advocate the Trustees of Fort Bragg have granted to the Labor union permission to erect a flag pole. Ed. DISPATCH)

A Boy's Wild Ride For Life

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottle 50c and $1. Trial bottles free at J. R. Mathews' Drug Co's store.

PT. ARENA CULLINGS.

From The Record.

An effort is being made to reorganize the Rebekah lodge in this place. The ladies should take hold of the movement and bring it to a success.

Dr. A. C. Huntley has been appointed house physician at the French hosptial in San Francisco. He has one hundred and seventy-five patients and gives the best satisfaction.

Mrs. Hathaway is very low at her home on the hill and cannot survive much longer. Last evening she was weaker than before and the end is hourly expected.

Either Bro. Pennington cut us off his exchange list or the Herald has followed its editor's greatness. Haven't seen a copy since the memorable edition of August 12.

The bark mill at Philo has resumed operations, after being shut down a few months because the extract could not be marketed. The mill will until winter sets in when the hauling of the extract to Greenwood is impossible.

A fund is being raised in Point Arena and vicinity for the purpose of planting young fish in the Garcia river and Brush and Alder creeks. A question has arisen as to the best time of the year in which to do the planting, some favoring fall while other advocate spring. Information on the subject from anyone who is familar with fishology will be gladly published in this paper.

Geo. R. Batt, the Annapolis fruit man was in town this week and had with him a sample of a sandstone from the quarry below Del Mar. The specimen of the finest quality and very much resembles granite. It is not known to what extent this stone exists, but is believed to be abundant, which, if true, will assure a profitable investment to the owners and add another industry to the coast.

Archie Paxton, of Davenport, Washington, was snapping a long whip at his wife and unintentionally hit her on the cheek, cutting a small gash. Blood poisoning set in and she died from lockjaw.

Albion News

ALBION, Sept. 12—Steamer Greenwood sailed last Monday with a cargo of ties for San Francisco.

Pat Connolly, the county recorder, is over on the coast for a few days on business.

A farewell dance was given to Miss Mabel Corrigan, of Michigan Heights, last Wednesday night. Dancing was engaged in until twelve o'clock when a nice luncheon was spread before the guests. After lunch dancing was resumed until the wee hours of the morning, then the crowd departed for their homes wishing Mabel another farewell soon.

Albion is well noted for its telephones, there being seven in our little burg.

Mrs. Butterfield was an outgoing passenger on the steamer Greenwood Monday.

Miss Eva Rowe paid Greenwood a visit Wednesday, returning Thursday.

About fourteen union men of this place attended the celebration at Fort Bragg Labor Day. They were well represented in the parade with their new banner and badges.

Miss Mabel Corrigan departed for the metropolis Thursday where she is going to take up a course in music.

D. L Ball and wife and T. L. Coon are enjoying an outing up in Humboldt county.

J. W. Rushing and wife departed last Wednesday for San Francisco via Ukiah.

Tom Kenny, of Manchester, passed thru town Tuesday en route home from Mendocino.

The new church is progressing rapidly and we will soon hear the church bell ringing on Sunday evenings.

R. E. Donohoe, ex-county surveyor, is over on the coast doing surveying for Pat Connolly, who owns a ranch at this place.

Steamer Navarro arrived here from Westport Saturday morning with a part of a cargo of ties. She finished her load here and sailed Saturday evening for the city.

Clarence Stout, of Elk, visited Albion Sunday.

Mrs. George Hurd, who has been visiting at this place for the past three weeks returned to her home at Ukiah last week.

C. A. Norberry, who went to Sonoma county to accept a position as head carpenter in Bender Bros. mill, returned home last week singing "I'll Never Go There Any More." Charley got up and made a five minute speech on unionism, and as they were opposed to unionism, he was told that he could return to dear old Albion.

George Hurd returned to this place from Ukiah Saturday. Us Two

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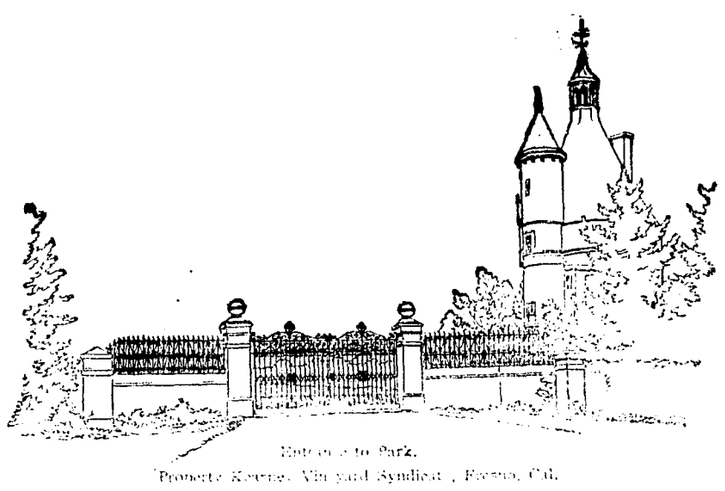

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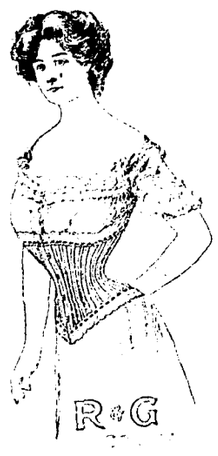

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Jens Thomsen et ux to J S Lilley—Lot in Littleriver; $1000.

Bank of Mendocino to Jno Escabar—Lot in Mendocino; $300.

Milton H Cook et ux to Edith Cook—Lots 8, 9, 17, 18, sec 1, tp 18 n, r 15 w; $10.

A A Wheeler to Martin J McPherson—Se¼ of nw¼, s½ of ne¼, se¼ of sec 34, s½ of nw¼, n½ of sw¼, sw¼ of sw¼, sec 35, tp 23 n, r 17 w, 480 acres; $10.

Peter Klein to A A Wheeler—Same as next above; $10.

Victorine Klein to A A Wheeler—Same as next above, $10.

H H Huntington to Kitty Clendinen—Lot in Sanel; $10.

I J Ridey to Otto R Schullar—Lot in Point Arena; $500.

Lea H Lamborn to Geo L McPhereson—Ne¼ of sec 32, nw¼ of sec 33, tp 23 n, r 17 w, 320 acres; $10.

J G Busch to S H Busch—Sw¼ of nw¼, nw¼ of sw¼, sec 12, s½ of sec 11, ne¼ of nw¼, sec 15, e½ of se¼, se¼, e½ of ne¼ of se¼, sec 4, tp 17 n, r 12 w, sw¼ of se¼, sec 33, tp 18 n, r 18 w; $10.

Hattie A Whitaker et al to Union Lumber Co—½ interest in e½ of nw¼, sec 8, e½ of nw¼, sec 17, tp 20 n, r 16 w, se¼ of sec 24, tp 20 n, r 17 w, lots 4, 5, 8, 9, sec 30, tp 20 n, r 16 w, nw¼ of sec 9, tp 20 n, r 16 w; $10.

Marion H T Guirand to Mendocino County—Strip of land 40 feet wide for a right of way near Hopland; $115.

J G Busch to A F Busch—Se¼ of nw¼, sec 12, ne¼ of ne¼, sec 11, se¼ of se¼, w½ of se¼, ne¼ of sw¼, e½ of sw¼, sec 2, tp 17 n, r 12 w, sw¼ of se¼, sec 35, se¼ of sw¼, sec 35, tp 18 n, r 12 w; $10.

Bert Joy to H E Joy—S½ of lots 4 and 5, n½ of lots 8 and 9, sec 18, tp 11 n, r 13 w; $10.

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SUPERVISOR PROCEEDINGS

The board of supervisors met on the 21st inst. to fix the state and county tax levy and special school tax levys for the fiscal year 1903-1904.

On motion the state and county tax levy was fixed at $2 on each $100 of property listed on the assessment roll, divided as follows:

State fund	.561
County general fund	.278
Salary fund	.170
Indigent fund	.045
Judicial fund	.070
Bond fund	.040
Unap county school fund	.290
Mendocino high school	.040
Ukiah high school	.046
Special exposition fund	.010
General road fund	.400
Special road fund	.050
Total	2.000

It was further ordered that there be established as special school rates for the fiscal year 1903-1904.

Fort Bragg union high school	.20
Round valley union high school	.20
Albion special school	.40
Cuffeys Cove special school	.50
Low Gap special school	.40
Oriental special school	.40
Point Arena special school	.30
Ukiah special school	.10
Williams valley special school	.20
Willits special school	.40

On petition of fruit growers it was ordered that A. N. Rawles, Robert Chipps and J. R. Banks be appointed as a board of horticultural commissioners for Mendocino county.

Domenigoni & Pedriata and Miss Maud Adams, of Point Arena, were granted retail liquor licenses.

On motion duly carried it was ordered that the following be established as the extent and value of railroad assessments on the S. F. & N. P. R. R., California Northwestern Railway lessee, for the fiscal year 1903-1904:

Alder Glenn school district 4.9 miles; Pieta school district 5.6 miles; Sanel school district 3.8 miles; Lima school district 4.5 miles. Total in Road District No. 1., 18.8 miles. Assessed at $12,083.13 per mile, $227,163. Willow school district 4.1 miles; Ukiah school district 2.3 miles. Total outside of Ukiah city 6.4 miles in Road District No. 2, assessed at $12,083.13 per mile, $70,332. Ukiah school district in city, .8 mile at $12,083.13 per mile, $96,667.

In the matter of levy of state and county taxes on the Gualala river railroad. Gualala school district 2.9 miles; North Fork school district 2.10 miles; total, 5 miles in Road District No. 5, assessed at $3,076.92 per mile, $15,385.

The board then allowed the following claims:

J W Woodruff, brdge wk	159 63
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Lee Wilson, rd wk	40 72
Con H Goldberg, viewing rd	12 00
H Tarkel, rd wk	14 00
T Stornetti, rd wk	12 00
S F Bridge Co, rep brdge	475 00
Eugene McPeak, rd wk	32 90
H C Mohn, coffin, et	21 00
J C Lane, supervisor	11 30
Kightlinger & Henley, lbr	107 05
A Horton, elec supplies	2 95
A B Higgins, rd wk	13 50
J D Dicken, rd wk	10 50
J W Coffer, rd wk	47 00
J W Coffer, rd wk	11 00
J C Carner, rd wk	10 20
Joel Cudney, dig grave	5 00
J W Coffer, brdge wk	93 74
C I Brown, brdge wk	6 50
J H Braden, service as corner	19 50
C I Brown, brdge wk	88 18
Mary Bishop, rd wk	106 00

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Bids! Bids!

Sealed bids for the bar, pool (auction,) and sporting privileges at the race track received by me at my office in Ukiah on or before Saturday, October 3rd, at 10 o'clock a. m. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. F. C. ALBERTSON.

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Ukiah Race Meeting

Much interest is being taken in the coming race meeting to be held at Agricultural Park on October 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17.

Speed programs are now out and have been distributed among horsemen thruout the state. The speed program is considered the best ever had in Ukiah. About $1800 will be given away to the runners and $800 to the trotters.

There are now at the race grounds about twenty trotters including several two-year-olds. The trotting horse, "Ole," having a record of 2:15¼ and owned by Grace Bros., of Santa Rosa, arrived on Monday's freight train and now has quarters at the race track. He is being handled by Trainer John Quinn and will participate in the free for all trot.

The only other trotter at the track of any particular note is Col. Abe Marks' black mare, Cecil M. She is being handled by Mr. Kolbrook and will have two or three engagements during race week.

The secretary of the race meeting informs us that quite a number of stalls are being held for running horses from Oakland, six stalls being assigned to one person. The track is being sprinkled and worked every day and is now in fine condition.

Speed Program

OCTOBER 13th.

1. Running, ⅜ mile and repeat; purse, $100.
2. Running, ⅝ mile; purse, $100.
3. Running, ½ mile and repeat; purse, $100.

OCTOBER 14th.

4. Running, 4½ furlongs; purse, $100.
5. Palm stake. Running, 1 mile; purse, $150.
6. Running, ¼ mile and repeat; purse, $100.
7. Running, ½ mile; purse, $100.
8. Palace hotel stake. Trotting, ½ mile heats, 3 in 5. Named horses; purse, $100 and entrance added.
9. Running, ¾ mile; purse, $125.
10. Running, 3½ furlongs and repeat; purse, $125.
11. Special trot; purse, $200.
12. Arlington hotel stake. Running, ⅞ mile; purse, $150.
13. Running, 4½ furlongs and repeat; purse, $150.
14. Trotting, mile heats, 3 in 5. Free for all; purse, $350.
15. Match race. Trotting, mile heats, 3 in 5. Between Abe Marks' Cecil M. and H. B. Smith's May Ayers; purse, $100. Winner takes all.
16. "Pony Express." To ¼ post, change and return. 2 in 3. Entrance free. For Mendocino county "cowboys." First horse, $30; second horse, $15; third horse, $5.
17. Special running race for non-winners; purse, $150.

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"After a serious illness of over a year Judge J. R. Allen of this city has recovered and regards himself most fortunate in successfully battling with what is generally regarded as a fatal malady, Bright's Disease of the kidneys. In speaking of his case Judge Allen said: 'I believe that the treatment given me by my physician was in accordance with the best methods used in the regular practice of medicine, but it afforded me no relief. Hearing of the Fulton Compounds I went to San Francisco to investigate and was soon convinced I should undergo the treatment. It was three months before I noticed a change for the better. I used the medicine faithfully for nearly a year and can now find no evidence of the disease and am satisfied it is entirely eliminated. My appetite is good, I have gained seventeen pounds in weight and will be pleased to describe my experience to anyone who may call or write.'"—Sacramento News, Nov. 16, 1902.

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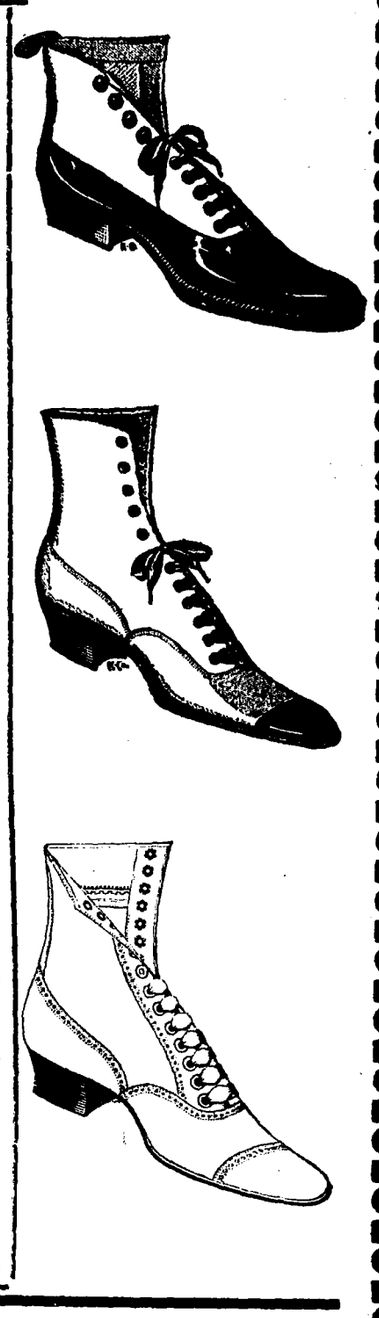

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T. B. JOHNSON,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Margaret J. Willits, deceased.

Dated this 24th day of Sept., 1903

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Eliza Bloyd, a girl 16 years old, is in jail at Redding, Shasta county, charged with stealing a horse. Shasta county goes up head in the criminal line.

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Notice For Publication of Time Appointed For Probate of Will

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas U. Smyth (also known as T. U. Smyth), deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 5th day of October, A. D., 1903, at ten o clock a. m. of that day, and the Court room of said Court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Thomas U. Smyth also known as T. U. Smyth) deceased, and for hearing the application of Maurice Hirsch for issuance to him of Letters of Administration de bonis non with the will annexed. And all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will snould not be admitted to probate, and Letters of Administration de bonis non with the will annexed thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE McCOWEN, County Clerk
By A Horton, Deputy.

J. L. McNAB Attorney for petitioner.
Dated September 17th, 1903.

Notice of Dissolution of Co-Partnership

Notice is hereby given that the copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of F. Brunner & Son, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business formerly conducted by the firm will be continued by A. P. Brunner, who will collect and settle all accounts of the firm.

Dated Ukiah, Cal., Sept. 24, 1903.

F. BRUNNER
A. P. BRUNNER 40

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Remember The Place

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16 dozen full finish mens' cotton socks, former price 10c, now 3c
67 doz. men's fine full finish socks, black and brown 15c, now 5c
23 doz. striped underwear. regular price $1 a suit, now - 45c
27 doz. mens' working overshirts, regular price 50c now 33c
25 doz. all woolen underwear, regular price $3 a suit, now 1.45
148 mens' suits, clay worsted and blue serges at your own price
39 childrens' suits, selling out prices - 25c and 50c
15 doz. very heavy cotton towels will be sold at - 4c
98 pieces of calico all different colors, fast color goods, 3c, 4c, 5c
Coats spool cotton thread, white and black - 7 spools for 25c
Shetland floss in all colors - - 4 skeins for 25c
133 linen and straw hats at 10 cents each.
268 mens' hats, very latest styles, at half price.
Comforters at less than manufacturing prices.
Trunks and valises at half cost.
Woolen dress goods at half price.
68 youths' suits at astonishing prices.
Mens and ladies shoes at great sacrifices.
Woolen and cotton blankets, white, gray and red, will be sold at prices that will astonish you.

Remember every article in the house must be sold.

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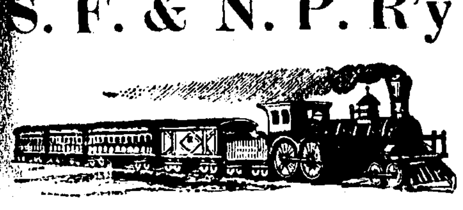

OFFICIAL TIME SCHEDULE.

Leave Ukiah Week-days.	Leave Ukiah Sundays	Effective May 3, 1903. To and From	Arrive Ukiah Sundays.	Arrive Ukiah Week-days.
5 50 am 2 55 pm	5:50 am 2:55 pm	San Francisco San Rafael Petaluma Santa Rosa Healdsburg Lytton Cloverdale and Intermediates	2:00 M 7:15PM	12:05 M 7:15 PM
5 50 am 2 55 pm	5:50 am 2:55 pm	Glen Ellen Sonoma and Intermediates	12:00 M	12.00 M
5 50 am 2 55 pm	5:50 am 2:55 pm	Sebastopol and Intermediates	12:00 M 7:15PM	12:05 M 7:15 PM
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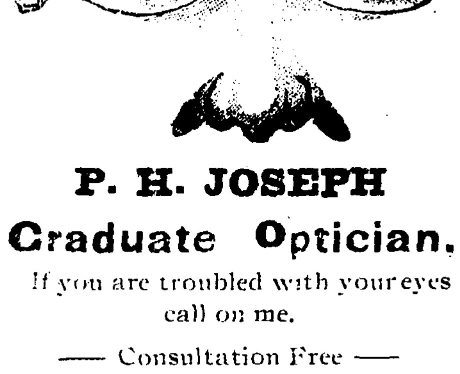

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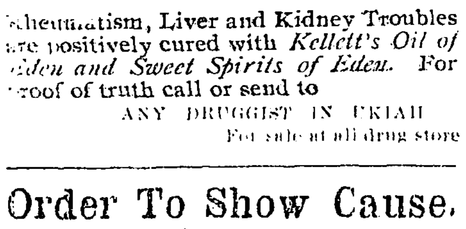

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Order To Show Cause.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF MENDOCINO COUNTY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the matter of the Estate of William Russell, deceased.

John Taylor, the Administrator of the estate of William Russell, deceased, having filed his petition herein praying for an order of sale of all the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Superior Court on Monday, the 12th day of October, 1903, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of said Superior Court, at Ukiah in said County of Mendocino, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said Administrator to sell all the real estate of said deceased either at public or private sale as the said Administrator shall deem most beneficial to the estate, and that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for three successive weeks in the DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and published in said Mendocino county.

Dated this 5th day of September, 1903.

J. Q. WHITE, Judge.

Carriage painting at Tom Charlton's blacksmith shop. Jean, successor to Ed Wright. mch27-tf

FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

What Etiquette Requires When a Chinese Boy Is First Taken to School.

American boys would doubtless consider it very funny to watch a little Chinese lad when first he is taken to school by his father and presented to the teacher. A writer in Home Words gives a graphic description of the performance as follows:

The Chinaman arrives at the school. He and the teacher shake their own hands and bow profoundly. Then the latter asks, "What is your honorable name?"

"My mean, insignificant name is Wong," is the answer.

Tea is sent for, and the teacher says, "Please use tea." The father sips for a quarter of an hour before he says to the teacher, "What is your honorable name?"

"My mean, insignificant name is Pott."

"How many little stems have you sprouted?" (This means, "How old are you?")

"I have vainly spent thirty years."

"How many precious little ones have you?"

"I have two little dogs." (These are the teacher's own children.)

"How many children have you in your illustrious institution?"

"I have a hundred little brothers."

Then the Chinaman comes to business.

"Venerable master," he says, "I have brought my little dog here and worshipfully intrust him to your charge."

The little fellow, who has been standing in a corner of the room, comes forward at this, kneels before the teacher and knocks his head on the floor. The teacher raises him up and sends him off to school, while arrangements are being made for his sleeping room, etc.

At last the father rises to take his leave, saying, "I have tormented you exceedingly today." To which the teacher responds, "Oh, no; I have dishonored you."

As he goes toward the door he keeps saying, "I am gone, I am gone." And etiquette requires the teacher to repeat as long as he is in hearing, "Go slowly, go slowly."

The Lightning Express.

Down grandmother's banister rail
Swift as the wind I slide;
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Grandmother cries, "Don't fall!"
When, whiz, I drop
Without any stop
Between Boston and Montreal.

I hurry again to the top.
Oh, my, it is such fun,
For this is the train
That's flying from Maine
And arriving at Washington.

Once more I am off like a flash
To carry the New York mail.
I am sure you would guess
'Tis the lightning express
On grandmother's banister rail.

—Anna M. Pratt in Youth's Companion.

The Last Chocolate Eclair.

Not long ago at a luncheon a lady made a curious mistake. A plate of delicious looking cakes was passed by the colored waiter. There appeared to be but one small chocolate eclair on the plate, and the lady was very fond of chocolate.

"I'm going to be impolite enough to take the only chocolate eclair," she said.

"Excuse me, ma'am," said the waiter, "dat's ma thumb, ma'am."

What He Was Used To.

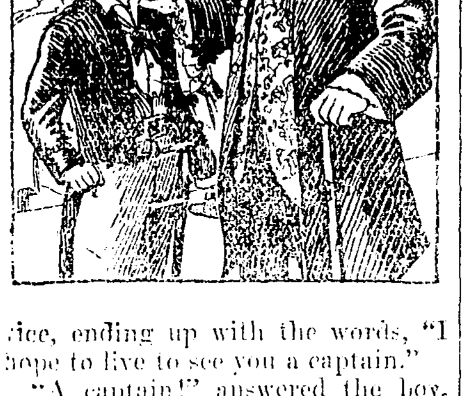
Small Harry recently accompanied his mother to church for the first time, and when the organ began to play he proceeded to stand up on the cushion.

"Sit down, Harry," whispered his mother.

"All right, mother," replied the little fellow. "I'll sit down just as soon as I see the monkey."

A Boy's Ambition.

When Admiral Hawke was a boy about to go to sea for the first time his father gave him much good advice, ending up with the words, "I hope to live to see you a captain."



"A captain!" answered the boy. "If I did not think I should one day be an admiral I would not go to sea at all!"—Chatterbox.

DEWEY'S JOKE ON MILES.

Admiral Dewey and General Miles are the best of friends, but they don't mind "knocking" each other good naturedly. They went down to Mount Vernon together on some holiday when, naturally, there were hundreds of visitors to the old home and burial place of the Father of His Country. General Miles seemed much impressed. He silently contemplated the crowd for a few moments and then said, with feeling:

"What, I wonder, would Washington say if he were suddenly to appear here in the flesh?"

"You mean just at this moment?" asked the admiral, with a suspicious twinkle in his eye.

"Yes, certainly," answered Miles, a trifle annoyed that his companion had failed to catch the inspiration of his thought.

"I really don't know," said the admiral, whose twinkle by this time had become actually malicious, "unless he asked how you ever succeeded in getting the job he used to hold."—New York Tribune.

Noah Had No Naval Committee.

In one of the Washington departments three officials the other day were talking about President Roosevelt.

"He has always been strenuous," one said. "He has always been a doer, impatient of delay, a foe of dallying. I remember once when he was assistant secretary of the navy some measure or other was in discussion, and he desired to push this measure through; but, as so often happens, there was postponement, there was red tape.

"He arose suddenly one afternoon. The session he was attending had lasted an hour, and nothing whatever had been done.

"'Gentlemen,' he said, 'if the ark had been referred to a committee on naval affairs like this it's my opinion that it wouldn't have been built yet!'"—New York Tribune.

A Tenor of Wit.

"Tenors," says Mr. Floersheim in the Musical Courier, "are not usually renowned for wit. There are exceptions, however, and one of them seems to be the Vienna tenor Slezak, who must be gifted with an epigrammatic style particularly well adapted for the composing of epigrams. One of the Berlin theatrical agents recently sent him a wire with an offer for a few appearances in Berlin at a very low remuneration. The telegram said: 'Offer you two nights, Berlin Royal Opera. "Lohengrin," "Tannhauser;" honorarium 600 marks (about $142)! Honorary affair.' Whereupon the tenor used the blank from the prepaid answer by filling it out with the short reply: 'Honorary affair secondary affair, money affair principal affair. Slezak.'"

Legislative Salaries.

Congressmen of the United States are better paid than any other legislators, receiving $5,000 a year, mileage and stationery funds. Australia allots its senators and members of the house of representatives $2,000 a year without distinction. New Zealand differentiates. The duties of the lower house being of a more exacting description than those of the upper, its members receive $1,200 annually as against $750 paid to those of the other assembly. Senators of the Canadian parliament are rewarded with $1,500 a year salary and expenses at the rate of $10 a day during session, with a maximum of $1,500. Cape Colony is not so open handed, its legislative council and house of assembly drawing $5 a day per man.

Ireland's Great Astronomer.

Ireland's great astronomer, Sir Robert Ball, has just reached his sixty-third year. It is true that he has been astronomical professor at Cambridge for a decade, but he remains a thorough Irishman still. His career as an astronomer dates back to 1865, when shortly after leaving Trinity college, Dublin, he was placed in charge of the famous private observatory established at Parsonstown, King's county, Ireland. When the possibility of signaling to Mars was under discussion he pointed out that if a flag of the size of Ireland was waved from a pole to match there was just the ghost of a chance that an astronomical Martian might perceive the ghost of a flutter on the earth.

Dazzling Teeth.

The young sultan of Johore possesses a unique peculiarity. Some years ago an accident with a horse resulted in nearly the whole of his teeth being knocked out. These have been replaced by teeth of solid gold, in each of which a large diamond has been inserted, and "as the least flicker of a smile," we are told, "uncovers them the effect is a weird one to beholders, especially when the sun catches the stones and makes them flash fire."

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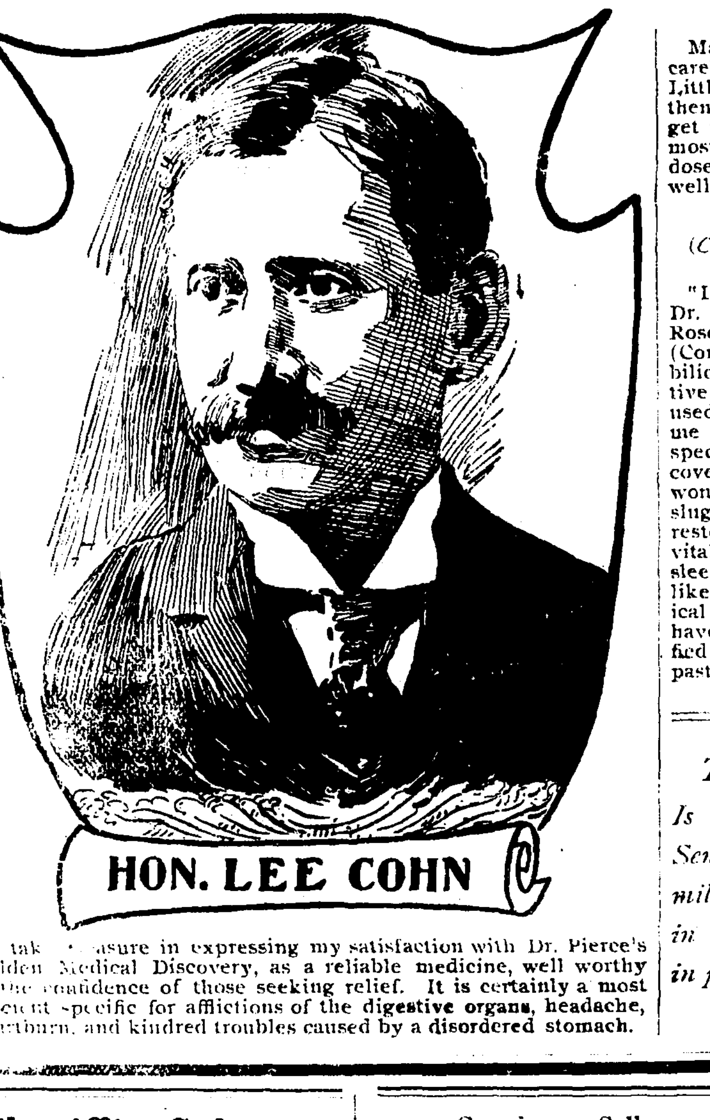

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Sheriff's Sale.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

James W. Miller, plaintiff, vs. Samuel B. Laughlin, Clara J. Laughlin (also known as Clora J. Laughlin), L. Jacobi, Felix Coblentz and Adolph Harris (Partners doing business under the firm name and style of Felix Coblentz & Co.), Premium Cigar Co. (a corporation), T. J. Weldon, John Doe, Richard Roe, and Jane Doe, defendants.

No. 5740.

By virtue of a decree of foreclosure and sale, and an order of sale issued out of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, on the 1st day of September, 1903, in the above-entitled action, in which the above-named plaintiff recovered a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against the above-named defendants, for the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Seventy-four and 86-100 dollars, principal and interest, and One Hundred Seventy-five dollars attorney's fees, besides costs of suit, in gold coin of the United States, said judgment and decree having been made and rendered on the 31st day of August, 1903, which said judgment and decree was and is recorded in Judgment Book 7 at page — et seq. records of the said County of Mendocino, State of California, I am commanded to sell the property hereinafter described to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs that have accrued or may accrue.

The lands, premises and property described in said complaint and directed to be sold by said decree are situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of Lot No. 96 of Yokayo Rancho (or Grant) thence running northerly along the eastern boundary line of said Lot No. 96 to a point near and five feet south of a certain water ditch, being the ditch or race carrying water from Russian River to the flouring mill generally known as Cleveland's mill; thence westerly parallel with said mill race or ditch and five feet south thereof 200 yards to a natural ravine; thence southerly along the center of the channel of said ravine to the center of Russian River; thence easterly up the middle of the channel of said Russian River to the place of beginning, and containing two acres, situated in the southeast corner of said Lot 96.

Also commencing on the eastern boundary line of said Lot 96 and at a point on the bank of and north of a certain water ditch, being the ditch or race carrying the water from Russian River to the flouring mill generally known as Cleveland's mill, and running thence northerly along the eastern boundary line of said Lot 96 a distance of 209 feet; thence westerly and parallel with said water ditch a distance of 418 feet; thence southerly to the northern bank of said water ditch; thence easterly along the north bank of said water ditch to the place of beginning, containing two acres, more or less.

Also all the right, title and interest in and to the said water ditch.

Being the same property conveyed to Clara J. Laughlin by deed recorded in Book 64 of Deeds, at page 516, Mendocino County Records.

Notice is hereby given that on

Saturday, the 26th day of September, A. D. 1903,

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, in front of the court house door in Ukiah City, in said County of Mendocino, I will in obedience to the said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above-described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment with interest and costs, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated at Ukiah City, September 1, 1903.

J. H. SMITH,
Sheriff of said Mendocino County.

By D. M. GIBSON, Deputy Sheriff.

A. J. THATCHER, Attorney for Plaintiff, Ukiah Cal.

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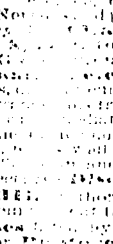

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FIXING THE TAX RATE.

The Board of Supervisors met last Monday to fix the tax rate for the fiscal year. Last year the assessed valuation of the county was $10,610,856 and the rate was fixed at 2 cents on the $1. This year the assessed valuation of the county is $12,787,770, an increase in value of $2,176,914 over last year—*and still the rate is 2 cents on the $1.* Last year the amount collected from the tax-payers was $212,217. This year the amount to be collected to run the affairs is $255,755—an *increase over last year of $43,538.* Ordinarily an increase in assessed value ought to reduce the tax rate, but it is not so in this county.

In looking for an explanation of the high tax rate, we find the following in a local Republican contemporary of Sept. 11th:

"With the appointment of A. J. Fairbanks as Supervisor from the 3rd district the *complexion of the Board is again Republican.* Barnard and Rawles are old and tried members and have been zealous in their labor for the county's interest. With the acquisition of a man of Mr. Fairbanks' broad mindedness and business ability there can be no question as to the *safety of the county funds.* The residents should congratulate themselves on their good fortune in having such good men at the helm."

According to our contemporary, then, the responsibility for the high tax rate is due to the Board's being Republican, in whose hands "the safety of the county funds" is assured. Had the assessed valuation of the property of the county not been increased the tax would have been at least $2.20 on the $100.

"The complexion of the Board being Republican" the taxpayers can naturally expect high taxes. The Republican party nationally is in favor of high tariff (high taxes). The Republican party locally is also in favor of high taxes. But then "the residents of Mendocino county should congratulate themselves on their good fortune in having such good men at the helm." That's all right for "non taxpaying" residents, but how about the taxpayer? Seeing that "the complexion of the Board is Republican", we presume that the shaky taxpayers can congratulate themselves that the rate is not 3 cents. But, taxpayers, take heart, next year being election year, the Board will reduce the tax rate temporarily, in order to gull the people into keeping "the complexion of the Board Republican."

SOLUTION OF A SCHOOL PROBLEM

"A serious problem in the public schools has been solved in a way, and the reports state that it is an effectual way, by the authorities in the town of Batavia, New York," says the San Francisco Bulletin. "Finding the schools overcrowded, the teachers overworked, the pupils falling behind for lack of attention, and there being no liklihood of getting new schools for a long while, Superintendent John Kennedy placed an additional teacher in each of the overcrowded rooms, not, as he said, to hear recitations, but to give personal, individual instruction to the backward pupils. In some cases one teacher goes from room to room coaching the deficient pupils in several classes. It is said the system has produced astonishing results. Slow pupils have caught up with quick ones, order and discipline have improved, and the pupils have been enabled to master their lessons with less study at home The 'individual' teachers are not assistants or normal students, but are fully qualified teachers, receiving full pay."

"The new idea seems to have excited keen interest in pedagogical students throughout the country, and a number of them have visited the schools of Batavia to observe the idea in practical application. Many of the authorities profess to see in the plan a practicable way out of a difficulty that is embarrassing the school departments of a large number of American cities."

"If the bond issue for the schools receives the necessary number of votes next Tuesday this city will probably have school room enough within two or three years, but the plan might be worth some thought on the part of the School Board."

LANE'S ADVICE ACTED UPON

When it was announced that the State Board of Equalization had increased the assessment roll of San Francisco 30 per cent, the daily papers of that city had a succession of spasms several columns in length, the paroxysms growing gradually less and less violent. The consolidated city and county government was in a dilemma. The local tax rate had already been levied on the basis of the assessment and the rate so levied would raise $1,300,000 more than was needed if collected on the basis of the increased assessment. Some advocated having two rates; one for the state's portion of the tax and another for the city and county. City Attorney Franklin K. Lane was appealed to pull the local government out of a hole and he did it with his usual exercise of common sense. He simply advised the Board of Supervisors to fix a new and lower rate of taxation for the city and county, based upon the valuation fixed by the State Board of Equalization and in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code. Then a writ of mandate can be sued out in the Supreme Court to compel the Board of Supervisors to adhere to the rate fixed in July, and the whole matter can be settled before taxes become due. Franklin K. Lane can always be depended on to find both a legal and commonsense way thru difficulties. The Board of Supervisors accepted Mr. Lane's advice and on Monday fixed the new rate.

The nomination of Franklin K. Lane for Mayor of San Francisco, which took place Tuesday night, should command the hearty approval of all good citizens of the city by the Golden Gate. His ability is unquestioned, his honesty undisputed, his public spirit undoubted and his devotion to the public interests unexcelled.

Dan Kevane, ex-Secretary to the State Board of Examiners, has lost none of his insufferable audacity since he was legislated out of office. A short time prior to his own retirement Governor Gage insulted the moral sense of the state by appointing Kevane to the office of State Bank Commissioner. Before Daniel had an opportunity to enter upon the functions of the office, the legislature abolished the Bank Commission especially to get rid of crafty and grafty Danny. Now comes the obnoxious Dan and files a mandamus suit to compel the State Controller to draw warrants for his salary as Bank Commissioner from the time his appointment should have taken effect down to date, in the sum of $2,010. Dan is a hard man to sit upon.

The universities "point with pride" to the bright lights of professional life—who would have been bright lights without the schools—but seldom point to the pettifoggers, the quacks, the fakes which constitute the larger body of the graduates. A college that tries to make the all-round citizen, and lets him make his own way as a specialist, is the school most needed. Schools for specialists are helping only to develop class aristocracy in this country—and the greatest virtue and the greatest evil of the universities is their associations.—Petaluma Courier.

The Sovereign Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows convened in Baltimore on the 21st inst. The membership reported was as follows: Subordinate lodges, 1,069,906; encampment, 145,190; Rebekah lodge, 410,045; patriarchs militant, 17,754. The total revenue for the year was $11,553,903.

If every girl who thinks she knows how to play the piano knew how to cook, the divorce lawyers would go into some other business.

A scoundrel named Procter who made a criminal assault on a young girl in San Diego will escape punishment because he was not brought to trial within the sixty days prescribed by law. The father now threatens to shoot his child's assailant. That is exactly the proper thing to do. Shoot, and shoot to kill. When the law fails to punish for such dastardly crimes through some senseless provision, there should be some avenger, and who with a better right than an outraged father?

Little Deleware may be slow in some things, but there they make the punishment to fit the crime of rape. It is death.—Marysville Appeal.

When a young man or a young woman has learned just enough to make them discontented with their station in life, a doubt is raised as to whether or not the school of today turn out more desirable citizens than they did when the curriculum was simplicity itself. What good results from stuffing childern with moral philosophy, international law astronomy, higher mathematics, etc., if they cannot turn any of these things to account when they become men and women?—Woodland Democrat.

Senator John T. Morgan, of Alabama, was much abused by a large division of the public press because in the last congress he so strongly and persistently opposed the adoption of the Panama canal route. He consumed much time in committee and on the floor of the senate in trying to show that the Panama scheme was a fraud and a sham and urged the Nicaragua route instead. He now stands vindicated in his course and can say to his fellow senators, "I told you so."

A Missouri country editor refuses to publish obituary notice of people who, while living, failed to subscribe to his paper, and gives this pointed reason: "People who do not take their home paper are dead anyhow, and their mere passing away is of nonews value."

The California Promotion committee offers a reward of $25,000 to anyone who may discover a formula whereby cream of tartar may be successfuly manufactured from grapes.

What Difference?

What difference does it make to employers what wages they pay, so long as they simply add the increased prices of labor to their previous prices for articles sold? And what profit does the workman get for increased wages if he has to pay it all back in the increased prices of everything he and his family use?—Our Dumb Animals.

The Visalia Weather Prophet

William R. Hart, the Visalia weather prophet, sends to the Sacramento Bee the following prognostications about the weather:

September, 1903: 20-27, fair; 28-30, local showers.

October, 1903: 1 2, rain; 3-4, fair; 5-6, showers; 7-19, fair; 20-24, rain; 25-28, fair; 29-30, rain; 31, fair.

November, 1903: 1, rain; 2-3, fair; 4-6 rain; 7-10, local rain; 11-13, fair; 14-17, stormy and rain; 18-20, showers; 21-26, fair, frost; 27-28, rain; 29-30, local rain.

December, 1903: 1-2, local rain; 3, rain; 4-11, fair; 12-17, rains, 18-25, fair, frost, cold; 26-31, rain or snow.

Ad Garred, who escaped from the Ukiah asylum and afterwards killed A. J. McKinnon at Guernevlle, was discovered in camp near Vacaville last Friday. He exchanged shots with the officers who went out to capture him, and escaped in the darkness, abandoning a horse and wagon which he had stolen.

It is said that an immense ledge of gold and silver was discovered near Healdsburg last Saturday. At the Selby smelting works the ore assayed $16 in gold and $17 in silver to the ton.

Musical

A musical recital will be given by the pupils of Mrs. H. B. Smith at Wilson & York's hall Friday, Oct. 2, 1903. Admission, 25 cents, reserved seats, 35 cents. Seats on sale at Wilson & York's

For Sale—Thorobred Jersey bull, two years old. Enquire of W. K. Dillingham.

Mrs. McGarvey's millinery opening has been postponed until next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday on account of the railroad strike below interfering with the receipt of her goods.

Additional Local

The local public school opened last Monday for the fall term.

Wanted— A girl to do housework good wages paid good place. Inquire of Henry Marks.

Lew K. Van Allen is now a proud papa. A little girl made her appearance in the home on Sept. 17.

Attention is called to the dissolution of partnership notice of F. Brunner & Son in this issue of THE DISPATCH.

Rev. F. A. Houston of Sacramento will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday, Sept. 27, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

W. P. Mariner of Siskiyou county has bought the Wilson, Donovan and Daily ranches in Big Valley, Lake County, for $19.000.

Mrs. Thomas Austin and her newborn babe died last Friday night at Ft. Bragg. They were buried together under the auspices of the Labor Union.

Last Tuesday was the beginning of the Jewish New year, the opening of the year 5664. It was properly celebrated in all the large cities and in many of the larger towns.

Wool sale day has been set for Tuesday, Oct. 20th. Wool will be received by Lucas & Paxton at McGlashan building or the Ukiah Milling Company's warehouse.

Henry Halliday brot Tom Stout, an old stage driver, over to the county hospital yesterday. He will return and take J. G. Scott back with him. Henry reports everything quiet around Point Arena.

Geo. Ray, formerly of this city, while sojourning in town, is getting up a city directory of our little burg. The directory will be novel and the best ever gotten up here. George expects to have it out soon.

C. C. Donovan, the enterprising hop man, arrived in town Wednesday evening and opened up the hop market at 25½ cents. Mr. Donovan is all right and will doubtless buy the greater part of Ukiah's output.

Miss Clotille Oliveri of Sonoma and Victor Sartori of Ignacio, were married in Ukiah by Superior Judge J. Q. White last Tuesday. The groom is one of the largest dairymen in the state and is a man of wealth.

The Maccabees and the ladies of the order had a social reunion in Sanford's hall Wednesday evening. On next Wednesday evening the ladies will entertain the gentlemen. All members of the order are requested to be present.

The Junior Eagle Fire Company of this city will present the play "What Happened to Jones" at Mark's Opera House on the evening of October 23rd under the direction of Mrs Weldon, for the benefit of the fire company.

Rev. C. B. Riddick, Superintendent of the State Reform School at Ione, has tendered his resignation to Governor Pardee. Rev. Mr. Riddick was formerly Presiding Elder of this District in the M. E. church, south, and is well known in Ukiah.

W. D. Carothers, son of Deputy Tax Collector J. H. Carothers, has purchased the confectionery store formerly conducted by C. J. Buddock. Will is a popular young man and will doubtless do well in his new venture. THE DISPATCH wishes him success.

Poage & Woodward, the real estate agents, this week sold the J. L. McNab ranch of 127 acres on Robinson creek to Edwin Bamford of Lower Lake. The price paid it is understood was $4750. Mr. Bamford will at once take up his residence on the place and improve it.

Bishop H. C. Morrison, D. D. L. L. D., of the M. E. church, south, will visit Ukiah and will preach here Sunday, Oct. 11th, morning and evening. The bishop and his wife will be the guests of Rev. W. O. Waggener while with us. Their home is in New Orleans, and the bishop is one of the greatest preachers of the country.

Mrs. Cranz announces that she will be ready to display her Fall stock of millinery on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 29th and 30th. All are invited to come in and inspect the goods, as Mrs. Cranz has been in San Francisco spending much time in selecting the latest styles and is prepared to please everyone. 2t

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Superior Court Notes

Monday, Sept. 21st, 1903.

Flora C Bailey vs Jno L Brown Breach of promise of marriage—Testimony for plaintiff taken and nonsuit granted on motion of defendant's attorney.

Clarence E McFarland vs Cora McFarland—Order referring testimony to court.

Estate of Thos E Long, deceased—Order setting aside homestead and exempt personal property for use of widow.

September 22, 1903.

People vs James R Stokes, information for murder of Robert Stokes—Case dismissed on motion of district attorney.

People vs J R Stokes for murder of Sarah Stokes—Defendant sentenced to imprisonment for life at San Quentin.

Albion Lumber Co vs Jonas Myers—Demurrer to cross complaint overruled and thirty days to answer by consent.

September 24, 1903.

People vs Steve Tartar, murder—Defendant arraigned and plead "not guilty" and trial set for October 21, 1903.

People vs John Myring—Trial set for Oct. 20, 1903.

Derington vs Taylor Spottswood Co—Judgment for defendant for costs.

Porterfield vs Porterfield—Interlocutory decree of divorce ordered.

McFarland vs McFarland—Interlocutory decree of divorce ordered.

Simonin vs Simonin—Order referring to court commissioner to take testimony.

Mrs. William P. Hanisch who lives near Highland Springs was shot by her young son Thursday afternoon. The young lad was handling his gun when it was in some manner discharged and the ball entered the back of his mother's head and passed out at the crown. The bullet was found in the ceiling. Dr. McGovern thinks the wound will not be fatal. Another object lesson to be learned from allowing infants to handle firearms.—Clear Lake Press, Sep. 19th.

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The undersigned desire to thank the many kind friends and especially the employes of the state hospital for the many acts of kindness during the sickness and death of our husband and son. MRS. ALLIE MOHR.
MRS. H. A. STEFFINS.

Change in Schedule
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Commencing Sunday, September 27th, 1903, the usual winter schedule on all divisions of this road, will take effect.

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Sheriff's Sale

J. E. Scott, Plaintiff, vs. E. S. Wallick and E. E. Wallick, wife of E. S. Wallick, Defendants.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1903, in the above entitled action, wherein J. E. Scott, the above-named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against E. S. Wallick, E. E. Wallick, wife of E. S. Wallick, defendants, on the 10th day of September, A. D. 1903, for the sum of Five hundred and seventeen dollars and ninety-five cents, in United States gold coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees, which said decree was, on the —— day of ——, A. D. 190—, recorded in Judgment Book —— of said Court, at page ——, I am commanded to sell all the certain lot, piece or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Situated in Fort Bragg township, County of Mendocino, State of California, about one mile south of the town of Noyo, on the west side of the county wagon road, commencing at the southeast corner of the 25 acre lot belonging to Hamilton Beaver, and running in a southern direction along the said county road 926 feet to a stake which is the northeast corner of the land owned by Cathern H. Jennison, thence 240 feet in a westerly direction to the center of Digger Creek, thence about 1668 feet in a northwesterly direction to the north of said Digger Creek along the center of said Digger Creek to it or north of the southwest corner of said 25 acre lot of Hamilton Beaver, thence 2049 feet in an easterly direction and along the line of said Hamilton Beaver lot to the place of beginning the said land is supposed to contain about 25 acres, more or less.

Public notice is hereby given that, on

Saturday, the 17th day of October, A. D. 1903,

at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Mendocino, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated: Ukiah this 14th day of Sept., 1903.

J. H. SMITH, Sheriff.
By D. M. GIBSON, Deputy Sheriff.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM GILL, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Granville Begley, executor of the last will and testament of William Gill, deceased, of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor's attorneys, McNab & Hirsch, at Ukiah, Mendocino county, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated September 8, 1903.

GRANVILLE BEGLEY,
Executor of the last will and testament of William Gill, Deceased.
McNab & Hirsch, Attorneys for Executor.

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